

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

IN SEPTEMBER AND OCTOBER, 1849.

September 4th.

Twenty-two Skeletons of Birds, as follows: *Cygnus atratus*, *Aquila fusca*, *Milvus sphenurus*, *Talegalus Lathamii*, *Centropus gigas*, *Calyptorhynchus xantho-notus*, *Dacelo gigantea*, *Podargus cinereus*, *Botaurus australis*, *Cracticus hypoleucus*, *Corcorax australis*, *Graucalus parvirostris*, *Myzantha pumila*, *Anthochæra Lewinii*, *Hæmatopodus varius*, *Cuculus cinerascens*, *Platycircus palliceps*, *Ceyx azureus*, *Acanthyza diemensensis*, *Coronica australis*, *Megapodius tremulus*, *Diomedea exulans*. From Dr. T. B. Wilson.

Coronella doliata, from Louisiana. From J. Coleman Fisher, Esq.

A species of *Diodon*, and several specimens of Corals and Shells from Long Branch, N. J. From Samuel Powel, Esq.

September 11th.

Forty specimens of Gold, Silver and Lead Ores, from the mines of Cordova, South America. From T. F. Moss, Esq.

Ichthyophilus from *Sargus ovis*, from Beasley's Point, N. J. From Samuel Ashmead, Esq.

September 18th.

A collection of Shells and Minerals. From Dr. E. J. Lewis.

Stilbite, from Nova Scotia. From Dr. Hallowell.

Metatarsal bone of *Anoplotherium commune*, from Montmartre, France. Deposited by same.

October 2d.

Mounted specimen of *Lepidosteus ferox*, from the Mississippi river. From Mr. J. D. Anderson.

Teredo navalis. From R. Pitcher, U. S. N.

Coluber —, from Trinidad. From Dr. Watson.

Aragonite, from Styria, Native Mercury from Idria, *Miargerite* and Feather Ore from Braundorff, White Antimony from do., *Pecten* from the Jura of —, *Pecopteris*, from Saxony. Presented by Theo. F. Moss, Esq.

Fossil Wood from the Drift of New Jersey; from Long Branch. Deposited by Mr. Samuel Powel.

Stone Adze, found in New Jersey. From the same.

October 16th.

A collection of Coleoptera and Lepidoptera. Presented by Dr. John Neill.

Mounted specimen of *Chlamyphorus truncatus*, (the original specimen described by Dr. R. Harlan in Vol. 1., *Annals of Lyceum of New York*). Also the cranium of the same. Presented by Dr. Wilson.

Dwarf variety of *Gallus Bankiva*. From Dr. Wistar, of Germantown.

Hybrid between the Mallard duck and the Muscovy. From Mr. Edward Harris.

October 23d.

Panopeus, *Grapsus*, *Dromia*, *Porcellana*, *Achelous*, *Sesarma*, and two species not named, from Brazil; *Spondylus varius*, and *Bulimus hæmastomus*, from Fara, *Pholadomya*, and Mountain Limestone, from South Wales. Presented by Dr. Wilson.

Coryctes, *Piremela*, *Porcellana*, from England; *Uraster*, *Ophiscoma*, from Pembrokeshire, England. Presented by E. T. and C. W. Wilson, of South Wales.

Fine fragment of the inferior maxilla with bases of four teeth, of *Mosasaurus* —, from the Green Sand, Mount Holly, New Jersey. Presented by Dr. S. G. Morton.

Dr. Morton also presented to the Society all those fragments of *Mosasaurus*, heretofore deposited by him.

Taphozous rufus, Harlan, captured on *Quercus ferruginea*. From Dr. Alexander.